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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **Notice of Ex Parte**
Developing a Unified Inter-carrier Compensation Regime, CC Docket No. 01-92

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of SBC Communications, Inc. (SBC), Jim C. Smith, Philip Bowie and I, the undersigned, met with Jessica Rosenworcel of Commissioner Copps' office on January 5, 2004. At the meeting, we urged the Commission to issue an FNPRM in the above-referenced docket as soon as possible to further its efforts on broader inter-carrier compensation reform. We also requested that the Commission refrain from dealing with individual inter-carrier compensation issues in piecemeal fashion.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's Rules, this letter being filed electronically with the Commission.

Sincerely,

/s/Eric Einhorn

cc: Jessica Rosenworcel